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OFFICE OF INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

UNITED STATES

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Hiromichi ATSUMI

GAU: 2872

EXAMINER: ALLEN, D. S.

FOR: SCANNING OPTICS WITH OPTICAL ELEMENTS FORMED OF RESIN AND OPTICAL SCANNING  
DEVICE AND IMAGE FORMING APPARATUS USING THE SAME

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

**SIR:**

It is hereby requested that a **one month** extension of time be granted to October 2, 2004 for

- ☒ filing a response to the Official Action dated: June 2, 2004
- ☐ responding to the requirements in the Notice of Allowability dated:
- ☐ filing the Formal Drawings. The Issue Fee due                      has been timely filed.
- ☐ responding to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated:
- ☐ filing a Notice of Appeal. A timely response to the final rejection, due                      has been filed.
- ☐ filing an Appeal Brief. A Notice of Appeal was filed on:
- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown below is reduced by one-half.

The required fee of \$110.00 is enclosed herewith by credit card payment and any further charges may be made against the Attorney of Record's Deposit Account No. **15-0030**. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully Submitted,

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